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Many Expensive Ships Will Be Laid Off and Monthly Service Substituted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—Sweeping changes are to be made in the Pacific transport service, and at least eight of the big ocean liners will be retired from San Francisco. This will leave but five transports plying between here and the Philippines, and possibly the Dix and Warren, running from Puget sound. Between this port and Manila there will be only a monthly service. The five steamers which will remain on the route between here and the Philippines are the Sherman, Sheridan, Logan, Thomas and Kilpatrick. This means the laying off of such vessels as the Hancock, Burford, Lawton, Grant, Cook and Relief, the ships which cost the government an enormous sum of money to buy and put in repair.

## MURDER MYSTERY SOLVED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The mystery of the murder of Mrs. Annie Pulitzer, whose nude body was found in the Morris canal, near Jersey City, has been cleared up by the discovery that the woman was killed in a flat at 108 West Fifty-eighth street, where her clothing was found. This announcement was made by Captain Titus, of the detective bureau, who alleges that the murder was committed by a man named Hooper Young. Titus has learned that the woman's body was kept for some time under a sink in the kitchen of the flat in which she was killed. Young is believed to have fled from this city.

## MILITARY ROAD FOR MINDANAO.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—On the recommendation of General Chaffee, Secretary of War Root today authorized the expenditure of \$20,000 for immediate use in the construction of a military road in the island of Mindanao from Iligan, the chief port on the north coast of the island and to a point on the northern shore of Lake Lanao.

## DEVERY TURNED DOWN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Charles F. Murphy was tonight elected leader of Tammany Hall at a meeting of the executive committee.

Frank Goodwing protested against Wm. S. Devery becoming accredited representative of the Ninth district, on the ground of fraud. The matter was referred to the committee on elections. After the meeting Devery made a formal demand for credentials, but was unable to get any satisfaction.

## QUEEN OF BELGIUM DEAD.

SPA, Belgium, Sept. 19.—The Queen of the Belgians died at 7:50 this morning. Neither the Queen's husband, nor

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the members of the family, nor her majesty's physician were present at the time of her death. She was eating dinner when she was seized with an attack of syncope.

King Leopold and other members of the royal family have been telegraphed for.

## PROFESSOR JACQUES LOEB.

May Come to Follow Research on Pacific Coast.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Dr. Jacques Loeb, professor of physiology at the University of Chicago, who has been offered a chair at the University of California with the added attraction of a sea aquarium for his research work, has returned from a visit to the Western institution, where he was the guest of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler. Dr. Loeb had a conference with President Harper, but he refused to give out any information as to his intentions.

## NO MORE TIPS WANTED.

Collector of Customs Wants Travelers Not to Square Officials.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Collector Stranahan will today issue a statement in the nature of an appeal to the traveling public to aid the treasury department and the local customs administration in enforcing the Dingley law on the piers with greater profit to the revenue and less to the customs inspectors. The collector's text will be the removal of nine inspectors who have been dismissed after investigation.

It is the object of the department to check "tipping" by incoming travelers.

## REBEL GUNBOAT.

Searches a British Vessel Under P.O. test From the Captain.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The steamer City of Para, which has just arrived from Panama, had on board Captain J. C. Moon, of the British steamer Palena, says a dispatch from San Francisco to the New York American. The captain is quoted as having said his vessel was stopped by the Colombian rebel gunboat Boyaca, and searched, notwithstanding the captain's protests. He will make a report of the matter to the British consul.

The rebels suspected that the British steamer was carrying arms to Valparaiso to the Colombian government.

## DESERTER PARDONED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Rinhold Lambert, who was sentenced to three years' imprisonment last winter for deserting from the United States army in Porto Rico and who has been pardoned through the efforts of his bride, whom he married soon after he deserted, has been released from the military prison on Governors Island. The bride lived in Jersey City. When the marriage was disclosed in the newspapers an officer saw it and Lambert was arrested by a detail of soldiers while he was at breakfast with his bride at her father's house. Mrs. Lambert wrote President Roosevelt several times and finally the president granted a pardon.

## BOODLE CASES ADJUDGED.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—With regard to the pending proceedings at Jefferson City before the supreme court to secure a release on writs of habeas corpus of former members of the house of delegates, indicted on the charges of bribery and perjury, the grand jury adjourned the inquiry into the boodle matters until Monday.

## SUCCESSFUL AIRSHIP.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Stanley Spencer, the well-known English aeronaut, today accomplished a remarkable flight over London in an airship of his own invention. It is estimated that his ship traveled nearly 30 miles.

## SEN. BARD IN GRAVE DANGER.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 19.—Senator Bard is still in grave danger, but his physician says that if a sudden breaking down of his heart can be prevented, he should eventually recover.

## RUSH FOR AFRICAN LAND.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Next Monday, a Johannesburg dispatch to the Times by way of London says, has been fixed for the granting of licenses to peg out claims in the Barberton and Pietersburg districts. The chief stretch of country to be claimed lies 100 miles from Pietersburg.

The question of transport is an important one. Nearly all the available animals and vehicles were purchased some time ago. It is feared trouble will occur and a special staff of constabulary will be employed.

## RURAL POSTAL SERVICE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—E. H. Hathaway, supervisor of rural free delivery service of the United States in this city. He has come to the Pacific Coast for the purpose of organizing the services in this division. There are now 123 rural mail routes in operation in California. Fifty-eight more have been favorably reported upon and more than 100 applications are now pending.

## NEW ARGENTINE CONSUL.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Dr. Ramon A. de Toledo has been appointed Argentine consul in New York, according to a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

MRS. ORILLA A. TAYLOR, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5849 for the purchase of the east half of the southeast quarter, southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, of section 31, township 6 north, range 9 west, and lot 2 of section No. 6, in township No. 5 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 30 day of November, 1902.

She names as witnesses: William Kriese, of Portland, Ore.; Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Ore.; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.; B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 30 day of November 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

8-15-10-17

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Sept. 10, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM BEST, of Rainier, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5898, for the purchase of lot 1, section 3, township 5 north, range 8 west, and south half of southeast quarter and northwest quarter of southeast quarter of section No. 32, township 6 north, range 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Ore., on Saturday, the 6th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: William C. Lee, A. L. Sanborn, Fred Weatherwax, John Logan, all of Rainier, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 6th day of December, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-19-11-21.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO WITHDRAW INSURANCE DEPOSIT BY THE IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—In accordance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Oregon, relative to insurance companies, notice is hereby given that the Imperial Insurance Company, Limited, of London, England, desiring to cease doing business within the State of Oregon, intends to withdraw its deposit with the treasurer of said state and will, if no claim against said company shall be filed with the Insurance Commissioner within six months from the second day of September, 1902, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice, withdraw its deposit from the State Treasurer.

IMPERIAL INSURANCE CO., LTD., By Wm. J. LANDERS, Manager.

Dated at San Francisco this 1st day of September, 1902.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, August 29, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of Clatsop County, at Astoria, Oregon, on October 20, 1902, viz:

JONAS UNTINEN, Homestead Entry No. 1110, for the 1 and 2 section 1, township 4 north, range 8 west, and southeast quarter of southwest quarter and lot 4, section 31, township 5 north, range 8 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew Mattson, Henry Hill, Albert Hill, Henry Takola, Herman Jackson Auto, all of Push, Oregon.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, August 11, 1902.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

ANNIE SEABURO, of Aberdeen, County of Chehalis, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5899, for the purchase of the east half of the northwest quarter and lots 3 and 4 of section No. 5, in township No. 7 north, range No. 7 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 27th day of October, 1902.

She names as witnesses: Sebastian Glaser, of Olney, Ore.; John E. Larson, of Astoria, Ore.; Julius Garby, of Astoria, Ore.; John Denck, of Astoria, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the said 27th day of October, 1902.

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